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LOCAL NEWS.

POTOMAC AND OHIO CONNECTION. - Chas. P Manning, esq., civil engineer, has been appointed by Col. Craighill, U. S. Engineer, to make a recoincissance of the belt of country in Vuginia and West Virginia, lying between the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad on the south, and the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad on the north. Addison Marbury, esq., formerly of the Washington and Ohio Railroad, and recently chief engineer of the Costa Rica Railroad, Central America, accompanies Mr. Manning. This survey is to be made under a late resolution of Congress with the view of ascertaining the feasability and probable cost of a double track railroad between the East and West across the two Virginias. Messrs. Manning and Marbury leave Washington next week, and from what we know of these gentlemen we have no doubt the examination of this route will be thorough and

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT-Judge R. W. Hughes presiding .- The habeas corpus case of Caroline Grandison vs. J. W. Wrenn et als., set for hearing yesterday evening at five o'clock, came up, and was argued by J. S. Stater for the petitioner, in the absence of F.J. Bramhall, and by D. L. Smoot for the defendant, and an order issused directing the Marshal of the district to produce the children in court on the first day of the October term of the U. S. District Court.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT - Judge Robt. W. Hughes presiding .- The time of the court has been again occupied to-day in hearing argument in the case of Turmbull & Co. vs. Thomas, Mr. Slater, of Smythe county, arguing for the defendant.

DEATH OF CORONER BEACH. - Mr. Samuel Beach, who had been ill for several months, died at his home on Princess street, at six o'clock yesterday afternoon, in the sixty-first year of his age. He was the son of Jas. Beach, who was for many years a constable in Fairfax county; was born near Polick; was, like his father, a constable in Fairfax; moved to this city in 1847; was one of the first constables of the city after its retrocession to Virginia; was Justice of the Peace for many years, and at the time of his death was Coroner. He was the father of Mr. John S. Beach, one of the members of the Common Council from the Third Ward. Mr. Beach had a large circle of friends and acquaintances and a numerous family connection, all of whom regret his demise.

POLICE REPORT. -The following cases have been reported at police headquarters since yes-

Ed. Brooks, George Brooks, and Willie Fracks, colored boys, for stealing the lynch pin from the wagon of G. E. Price, were discharged with a reprimand.

Jane Essex and Charles Haskins, on complaint of the wife of the latter, for adultery, were fixed and discharged.

William Hix. colored, for releasing his dog from the pound, was fined and discharged. W. D. Watkins, for disorderly conduct, a chronic case, was fined and discharged.

Several parties for keeping dogs without li censes were fixed and discharged, and warrants issued for the arrest of more of the same class

George Lewis, a suspicious character from the country, was discharged upon a promise to quit the city forthwith.

William McQuin, a canal boatman, for spitting tobacco juice in the face of Mrs. Connelly who lived aboard the same boat to which he belonged, was fined and discharged. The above cases were before the Mayor,

Frank Bryant, colored, before Justice Padgett for embezzling money belonging to Enoch Cook, was discharged as the prosecution was

J. W. Club and C. Javins, arrested on complaint of the Clerk of the Market for fighting and disorderly conduct, were before Justice Padgett and were discharged upon the payment of costs.

One lodger and two prisoners were at the station house last night.

THE JAIL HAS NO TERRORS. - A day or two ago a prisoner in the station house named Ed. Meades was heard to say he wanted to get out of that place and go to jail: and between twelve and one o'clock last night Mr. Cline, the jailor, was awakened by a loud rapping at the outside door, and upon going to see who was there found it was a man named Benjamin Boswell, who had escaped while out with the chain gang two weeks since, and who, after travelling about the surrounding country as far as Fredericksbury, came back voluntarily to his old quarters, saying he had enjoyed as much liberty as he wanted at this time.

BADLY HURT.-Mr. John Kuoxville, who lives on the Claremont estate, a few miles southwest of this city, while driving a wagon home. yesterday, when near Watkins' mill, was kicked on the side of the head by a refractory horse which he had struck with a whip, and so badly burt that for a time it was thought he had been killed. He was carried to his home by Mr. David Watkins, who also sent to Seminary Hill for Dr. McCormick, and this morning the condition of the injured man, though he had bied about a gallon before his wounds could be tory, where he will in future reside. dressed, was said to be favorable.

ORGANIZATION OF THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS.-The Committee on Streets of the City Council-Messrs. Smoot and Johnson of the Board of Aldermen, and Hughes and Risheill of the Common Council, met yesterday afternoon and organized by the election of Mr. Thomas Risheill as Chairman. There were two ballots as follows: 1st, Smoot, 2; Risheili, 2; 2d. Smoot, 1; Risheili, 3. After the organization the Chairman and Messrs. Smoot and Hughes inspected Princess street, between St. Asaph and Fairfax, with reference to adopting some plan for its improvement.

ABINGTON PARK. - The following is the corree: account of number of lots sold on Thursday last at Abington Park:

No. 62, to Mrs. Mary Castleman, for \$ 38 00 " 114, " Mr. Davis, of Ky., .. 4, 5, R B Young, Wash ton. 80 00 80 00 .. " John R. Johnson, 65 00 70 00

37 50

57 00

.. 53, " " James Reid, " 60, " " H. S. Wattles, " 43. " " Robt. F. Knox,

THE NEW SHIP YARD.-Mr. Davis, who is to superintend the construction of the new ways at the new ship yard of the Alexandria Ma rine Railway Company, arrived to-day from Soloman's Island, where he is interested in a ship yard, and at once commenced the work for which he is engaged. It is expected that the new ways will be completed and ready for use early in the approaching fall. Even with the small ways the company has made a handsome profit since it became proprietor of the yard.

ESTATE APPRAISED. - The estate of the late M. J. Hillis-who was killed about a month since--in Alexandria county, was appraised yesterday-store, house, and furniture-by Messrs, J. R. Johnson, Randolph Birch, and years oid. Baker Thorn, commissioners, and valued at about thirteen hundred dollars.

CITY COUNCIL - A regular meeting of the City-Council will be held to-night, when the remaining municipal officers will be elected, some bills ordered to be paid, and when the adjournment takes place it will be, it is probable, for the usu- dines, &c., kept by

FISHTOWN.-Fishtown was a remarkably dull looking place this morning. The one booth still open there had three people, all sober, sitting around its door, and some sturgeou gillers were preparing to go down the river. With these exceptions not a soul was seen on the place, and there was no likelyhood that anybody else would be there until the arrival of a load with expectations of delight by the sitters in

the booth. the Board of Public Works was to have been held last night, but no quorum was present. It is reported that owing to some misunderfor paving Columbus street, Mr. Lynch, to whom the award was made, has relinquished it, and that another one of the bidders has been sent for to consult with as to the terms of his bid.

Suspicious Characters.--Passengers by the steamer Fairy from Farmington this morning, report that three suspicious looking characters-two white and one colored-have been for some time past lurking in the woods near Accokeek Church, and that a party was being made up to arrest them this afternoon and verdict accordingly and clicit his testimony in make them give satisfactory accounts of them-

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Robert Shrobrock, a full account of whose attempted marder by O'Brian Burnighan, near Rosslyn, in this county, on Saturday evening last, was published in yesterday's Gazette, is improving, and as Dr. Gibson, who is attending him at the jail, says will probably recover. Both parties were taken to Arlington this afternoon for examination before Justice Austin.

The Methodists of Fairfax Circuit, Va., are making arrangements for a camp meeting, to be held in Gibson's woods, near Young's toil gate, on the Alexandria and Leesburg turnpike, commencing on the 13th of August. This camp was before the war a very popular one, and it is the intention of the Fairtax Methodists to make it a successful one this year.

The schooner Walter B. Chester, while coming into the dock of the Baltimore and Hampshire Coal Company, yesterday, approached so close to the bulk head that she ran her bowsprit through a window in the building in which the office of the company is located, carrying away the sash.

A gentleman from Orkney Springs reports six hundred guests there now. Among them and was looked upon by the natives as a favorare C. R. Hooff and family, J. S. Blackburn able omen in connection with the war in Forand family, Col. Wm. Kilgour and family, J. A Dexon and family, Mrs. Boush and family, Mrs. Dr. Stabler and family, and Mrs. A. W. Chilton, of this city.

The chain gang was again in a demoralized condition this morning, and, in consequence, was not taken out to work. This afternoon, however. Superintendent Clifford ordered their temporary commander, Basil Warring, to bring them out and put them to work.

Notwithstanding the propitions appearance the clouds have worn for the last day or two, no rain of any consequence has fallen, and every green thing that grows is suffering in consequence.

Work at the Mount Vernon cotton factory, which was suspended a few days ago in consequeuee of the accidental breaking of a crank pin, was resumed this morning, the broken pin having been repaired.

proving, and will, it is thought, soon be out the injured persons could not be ascertained. Among the freight brought up by the steam-

er Fairy, from Farmington, this morning, were twelve hogsheads of tobacco, to be shipped to Baltimore, and one sturgeon, caught near the mouth of Piscataway creek. A mocking bird died in this city yesterday

which was known to be eighteen years old last spring, and had been in the house in which he died for that length of time. He sang three minutes before he expired.

Several parties have been arrested and taken before the Mayor and fined for keeping dogs without license, and many more have been reported for the same offence and will be arrested at the proper time.

It is understood that a China ware manufacory will probably be soon established on Fourmile run, in this county, where suitable clay, said to be worth \$16 a ton, can be obtained in great abundance.

Gen. W. T. Sherman and his son spent last night at Taylor's tavern, Purcellville, on their Winchester. They were travelling in a buggy. Letters addressed to Z. English & Co., Baltimore, and A. Nicol, Brentsville, Va., are detained in the postoffice here for want of dered an aged couple in April last.

A colored woman living in the western part of the city was attacked with cholera morbus last night and died before medical assistance reached her.

Mr. Flodo H. Jones, son of Captain J. A. Jones, of the Virginia Midland Railroad, left here yesterday for Salt Wells, Wyoming Terri-Coi. C. P. Manning and Capt. Addison Mar-

bury have been employed by the Government to prospect a route to confect the waters of the Potomac with those of the Ohio river. The swallows are not too numerous and the

boys should not be allowed to kill them, as they are now doing. The repairs to the Alexandria canal will, it

is now said, be completed and navigation be reseened in about two weeks.

Agne Conqueror; No QUINTNE, ARSE IC OR POISONS.

This is strong language, as Physicians and Chemists have for years tried to compound a preparation that would entirely cure Fever and Ague without the use of strong medicine, such as Quinine, Arsenic and other poisons injurious to the system. There is no case of Fever and Ague, Intermittent or Bilious Fevers, Congesto Mrs. Mary Castleman, for \$ 38 00 tive Chills, Night Sweats, Liver Complaints, &c., that this remedy will not cure at once and permanently. It purifies the Blood, Liver, Spleens and all secreatory organs so effectually that the Chills will not return during the season, even when persons have had them for years. Sold by

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Zer Concordia Club.-A meeting of the members of the Concordia Club will be held at l'ortner's Garden to morrow evening, at eight o'clock. A tuil attendance is requested.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.)

The Beecher-Tilton Scandal. NEW YORK, July 28.—The Sun says: The Beecher Committee decided last evening to call Moulton as the next wieness, asking him in of watermelons that was looked forward to their invitation to produce all documents in his possession that relate in any way to the case. Moulton was called to Narragansett yesterday BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS. - A meeting of to the bedside of his sick wife, but is looked for in Brooklyn this afternoon and us the committee meet again this evening his acceptance or rejection of the invitation to testify will be made known. 'He cannot refuse', said one of standing about the provisions of the contract the lawyers interested, last evening, on the ground that he has not Mr. Be cher's consent to break confidence, for he has Beecher's consent to tell everything he knows. Tilton does not expect Moulton to testify before the committee as it is formed.

General Tracy said last night he could not anticipate the cause of the committee if Moulton absolutely refused to produce the important testimony, it is claimed that he has. He thought the inquiry would be continued until all other witnesses had testified and in case Moulton still refused to testify they would make a

Mr. Shearman last evening said no testimony of Tilton's bearing on the aileged confessions of Mr. Beecher to him of addltery was ever elicited in the reported cross-examination or omitted in the publication of it.

Beecher's stenographer says no such testimony as Tilton speaks of in his card was regularly presented before the committee. Beecher returned from Peckskill vesterday.

He chatted pleasantly with some of his church members on the doorsteps in the evening. If Moulton does not answer the call to testify which he will receive to-day, Beecher's testimony will be taken without further delay.

From Japan.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28.-The steamship Altona brings Yokohama dates to July 4th. The Japanese steamer Tai Ameru was lost on the 15th of June on the Wast coast. Twentyseven lives were lost.

News from Formosa is to the effect that the Japanese are driving the Aborigines from the coast. Japanese war vessels were still on the coast of Formosa. The auniversary of American Independence

was properly observed in Y kohama. A grand ball was given at the American consulate. The comet had been observed from Japan mosa, where the tribes have come to terms with Japan and accepted the flag of that

A Greek church has been opened by Russian missionaries at Hokadadi.

Train Assaulted.

Boston, Mass., July 28.-The train from New York, due here at 11:20 last night, when one mile west of Palmer, was assailed by a gang of miscreants, who threwseveral stones through the windows, one striking a man in the smoking car, cutting a gash over his ear, and another striking a lady in a pa-senger car, inflicting a frightful wound on her temple and rendering her insensible. On the arrival of the train at Brookfield. At Palmer a party of men was organized and sent back in search of the ruffians.

SUGAR-CURED SHOULDERS and Small Hams just received by

JY 28 J. C. MILBURN, 19 N. Royal st. Palmer surgical aid was procured and the man Vice President Lincoln, of the railroad com-Mr. Kinzie Griffith, who was shot by the pany, was on the train, and promised that a discharge of a musket he accidently knocked large reward would be offered to-day for the down in his store, last Sunday evening, is im- appreheusion of the assailants. The names of

Races.

CLEVELAND, July 28 .- Many strangers are in this city to attend the races of the Cleveland Ciub which begin to day. The weather is unfavorable, considerable rain having fallen the past two days. Pool seiling last night was quiet, though a considerable amount was invested. The programme for to day is 2:24, 2:34 and 2:50 races. In the 2:24 race there are seven entries: Castle Boy, Luin, Brother Jonathan, Bodine, Triumph, Derby and Badger Girl. In the pools Castle Boy and Lulu were the favorites, each being backed for the first choice. Brother Jonathan sold for the second. In the 2:34 race Monarch, jr., sold about 3 to 2 against i field of 10 In the 2:50 race, Ben. Mace's Howell, jr., sold for 3 to 1 against a field of 5.

Escape and Recapture.

Toledo, July 28 .- Last evening as the Sheriff of Putuam county at Ottawa, Ohio, was taking supper to the prisoners, one of the prisoners serz d the sheriff while another struck return from a visit to the battle fields near him on the forehead with a stove leg, knocking him senseless. The prisoners, five in number made their escape. The Sheriff, on recovering gave chase and recaptured Goodwin, who mur-

Stabbed His W.fc.

St. Louis, July 28.-Wm. Morgan having had considerable difficulty with his wife the past few months endeavored to obtain possession of his little daughter by kidnapping and by other means. He met his wife last evening at the corner of 7th and Morgan streets and stabbed her three times, inflicting mortal wounds.

Sunstroke.

St. Louis, July 28.-There have been about twenty eases of sunstroke and prostration by heat, nearly one half of which proved fatal, since Saturday. A heavy storm carly yesterday morning, broke the heated term, which prevailed bout three weeks, lowering the tem-

Charge of Dishonesty.

Boston, July 28.-Daniel Needham, National Bank Examiner, visited the Milford National Bank where an examination resulted in his preferring charges against the cashier, A G. Underwood, for dishonesty. The cashier was at once dismissed by the directors.

Steamer Sunk.

London, July 28 .- The steamer Milbank, of Sunderland, bound from Cartagena for Sunderland, was sunk off Dungeness by a collision with the steamer Hankow. Filteen of the Milbank's

crew were lost.

Specie in the Bank of England. LONDON, July 28-3:30 p. m.-The amount

of builton withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day was £137,000. Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, July 28, 11 a, m. For the Middle States, partly cloudy weather will prevail with local rains, ligh; variable winds, low temperature and no decided change in the barometer.

The Markets. NEW YORK, July 28. - Stocks dull. Money

2. Gold 9. Flour dull. Wheat dull and heavy. Corn dull. BALTIMORE, July 28. - Va. sixes, consolidated, 52; de, ex-coupon 49; W. Va's, 10. Cotton heavy and quiet; low middlings 151a16. Flour steady and dull. Wheat active and a shade firmer; red Western 120:130; amber do. 133:137. Corn—white Southern quiet at A NOTHER supply of CARBOLIC CAM-92; yellow do, firmer at 85; mixed Western je 30 firmer at 78. Oats active and firmer; Southern 55:a60; Western mixed 59:a60. Rye duil at 80a-

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PROPOSAL".

SUPPLIES FOR THE ALMS HOUSE. Scaled proposals for three months' supplies, to be delivered to the Superintendent as wanted. About 1000 lbs Shoulder Bacon. 3 bbls Extra Flour. 1 bbl Brown Sugar.

100 lbs Imperial Tea. Potatoes by the bushel, Ground Pepper by the lb, Ground Mustard by the lb, Candles by the lb, Soap by the lb, Coal Oil by the gallon. Vinegar by the gallon, Soda by the lb, Butter by the lb.

1 sack Rio Coffee.

About 100 bushels Corn Mea'.

50 "Mill Feed.

10 tons Cumberland Coal, run of mine. 5 " Red Ash Coal. 6 cords Pine Wood. To be delivered at Alms

House. Proposals will be received until August 1st, 1874 at my office. The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

W. A. MOORE,

jy 28-td Chairman Joint Com. on Poor.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS. Scaled proposals will be received until July 30th for the fitting up for school purposes of the PEABODY SCHOOL BUILDING, (formerly the Bradley Building.) Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. B. F. Price, Builder, who will give all instructions necessary to a proper understanding of the work. Bids can be handed to Joseph Hepkins, No. 5 norm Fairfux street. The committee reserves the right

to reject any and all bids.

COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL HOUSES

AND FURNITURE OF THE

jy 23-5t CITY SCHOOL BOARD.

EYCURSIONS.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION TO MARSHALL HALL.

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turn early.
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ry particular.
Tiexets for Gent. and Lady, S1; Ladies' Tickets, 50 cents. To be had of the committee and at the fullowing stores: Geo. E. French, S. H. Lunt, Janney & Co., Warfield & Hall, and W. W. Adam & Son.

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the decline by J. C. MILBURN. PRIME POTOMAC HERRING-A lot of superior Potomac Herring for sale by 2-tf JNO. J. JAMIESON & CO.

jy 2-tf HINE TOILET SOAPS for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY, Corner King and St. Asaph streets. jy 18

SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS received this day and for sale at 147 King st. W. F. BROOKES. jy 10

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Winchester, Va., jy 9-2m* UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUA-BLE LAND-By virtue of the decree of the County Court of Fairfax, bearing date De-cember Ceurt, 1872. I shall, on MONDAY, the 17th day of August, (Court day) 1874, sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, before the door of Fairfax Court House, at 12 o'clock in., all that LOT or PARCEL OF LAND that was allowed to Ben. M. Plumb & Co., as aliences of John Frawner and wife, in the division of the land of Jane M. Seaton, being part of the real estate of the late Peter Gooding. This land lies imme-diately on the Little River turnpike, about two and one-fourth miles east of Fairfax Ct. House, and eleven and three-quarter miles from Alexandria, and the most of it heavily wooded, with a mixture of hard and pine wood, and contains 31 52 160 acres.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and he residue in three equal payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security; the title to be retained till the last payment is made. Expense of conveyancing to be

paid by the purchaser.
THOS. MOORE, Comm'r. of Sale.
Fairfax county, jy 18-wts

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A HOUSE AND LOT AT HERNDON-Persuant to the decree of the County Court of Fairfax co., the decree of the County Court of Fairfax co., rendered at May Court, 1873, in the suit of Witmer & Slaymaker vs. M. Whipple, the understand, commissioner named in said decree, will on MONDAY, the 17th day of August, 1874, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the door of Fairfax Court House, sell to the highest bidder. at public auction, that certain HOUSE and LOT situated at the village of Herndon, on the Washington and Ohio Railroad, formerly belonging to Madison Whipple and wire. The lot contains about one acre, and is

improved by a new frame dwelling.
Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will be necessary to pay the costs and expenses of sale and the costs of suit, and the residue on a credit of one, two and three years in equal payments, with annual interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved personal security, and retention of tatle to the property sold until the last payment is made. Expense of conveyancing to be paid

by the purchaser.
THOS. MOORE, Comm'r. of Sale. Fairfax county, jy 18-wts

DWELLING AND STORE AT FALL'S CHURCH FOR SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust from John D. Brush to the undersigned, bearing date on the 6th day of May, 1873, and of record in the land records of Fairiax county, liber P, No. 4, page 394, I shall, on SATURDAY, the 8th day of August, 1874, at 12 o'clock m., on the premises sell, to the hignest bidder, that certain LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND situated at the junction of the Georgetown turnpike with the Middle pike, in the village of Falls Church, and at present occupied by Brush & Fox. This lot is improved by a DWELLING HOUSE and STORE ROOM, and is the best stand in the village of a business.

village for business.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will be required to pay the costs and expenses of sale and the sum of \$500, with interest at the rate of eight per cent from May 6th, 1873, till the day of sale, and the residue in three equal annual payments, to bear laterest from the day of sale, to be secured by lien on the property sold. Costs of conveyancing to be paid by the parchaser.

O. W. HUNTT, Trustee.

Falls Church, jy 9-wts

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DUBLIC SALE OF "HAZEL PLAIN,

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FARM," NEAR MANASSAS, PRINCE

WILLIAM COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

Under a deed of trust of the 21st of June, 1872,

from the alministratrix of W. Y. Downman to

me, to secure the payment of a debt therein described, I shall, as trus ee therein, at the instance of the creditor and the said debter, offer for saie, at public auction, on TUESDAY, the 4th day of August, 1874, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mansion House, in the city of Alexandria, "CHINN FARM," designated in said deed of trust as Hazel Plain, containing 550 acres, threefourths arable, chocolate-colored soil, easily cultivated and productive: the remainder in wood and timber, and the whole well supplied with water. This desirable estate has upon it the famous CHINN HOUSE, a large frame building, with eight rooms, a comfortable log house occupied by the tenants, a stone stable, corn crib and granary of logs; is conveniently near to churches, schools, mills and markets, within five miles of the W. C., V. M. & G. S.

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Terms: Cash as to about \$3500, and as to the residue a credit of 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest from the day of sale, and deed of trust to secure said deferred payments. The title is believed to be perfect, but selling as trustee I shall convey only such title as is derived fro a

the deed of trust to me.
W.M. H. FIIZHUGH, Trustee,
Fredericksburg, Va. The Persons seeking to obtain information in regard to the property not furnished in the above description are referred to Messrs. Green & Wise, Alexandria, Va.

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MARKET FARM FOR SALE.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairlax county, rendered at its June term, 1874, in the suit of Joseph Bruin, use of C. L. Mankins, against Thomas Jevins, the undersigned, commissioners therein n and, will offer at pub-lic nuction, on SATURDAY, the 1st day of August, 1874, between 12 and 1 o'clock of that day at Catts' Tavern, West End, Fairfax county, Virginia, that highly cultivated and valuable MARKET FARA belonging to and now in the possession of Thomas Javins, containing 574 acres of land, lying on the Little River turnpike, the standard and is a land in the land in the land is a land in the land in the land is a land in the land in about 2 miles west of A'exandria. The land is well improved with good buildings, and is a most desirable farm.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs and expenses of suit and sale, and the residue in three equal annual instalments, payable in one, two and three years, with interest from the day of side; the purchase to give bond, with good personal security, for the deterred payments, and the title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid. The said complete of the payments are the payed to dispose of said missioners are also authorized to dispose of said property at private sale, and they, or either of them, will receive proposals therefor up to the day of sale aforesaid. If any of said bids should be accepted, the sale will be subject to the rati-H. W. THOMAS, Comm'rs. of C. W. WATTLES, Sale.

D. L. SMOOT, Fairfax county, je 30—ts

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